

Montana WIC Farm Direct Benefit Redemption Guide Fruit & Vegetable Benefit

1. **Ask for the WIC Participant Booklet** and hold on to it (you will need it later to check the signature). **Do not proceed without it!**
2. **Check the dates** in the “**First Day to Use**” and “**Last Day to Use**” boxes. Do not accept the benefit before or after these dates. **Fill in the current date on the benefit.**
3. **Verify that all foods are approved fruits or vegetables.** Use the “Farm Direct Eligible Food List” as a guide.
4. **Multiple Fruit & Vegetable Benefits may be used in one transaction.**
5. **Say “No”** to IOU’s , rain checks and refunds.
6. **Write in the “Amount of Sale”** making sure it does not exceed the maximum value printed on the benefit. If you make a mistake, cross out the incorrect price with a single line, place the new price in the correction box and have the participant initial the change.
7. **If the cost of the fruits & vegetables selected for purchase exceeds the maximum value written on the benefit,** enter the maximum benefit value and the participant may pay the difference in a separate transaction. Do not write the amount of the overage on the benefit.
8. **Have the participant or proxy sign the benefit.** Compare the participant’s or proxy’s signature on the benefit with the signature on the ID page of the booklet. If the signatures do not match, do not proceed with the transaction. (No WIC Booklet = No sale)
9. **Return the WIC Booklet.**

MONTANA WIC PROGRAM PO BOX 262891 HELENA, MT 59620-2891		SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION PROGRAM FOR WOMEN, INFANTS & CHILDREN (WIC) WIC ENCOURAGES BREASTFEEDING		2501234567 ACCT # 899100 11-1245	
CLINIC ID	WIC ID	PARTICIPANT NAME		FIRST DAY TO USE	
2510	251-00001	Jane Smith		7/10/2015	
\$10.00 FRESH FRUIT AND/OR FRESH VEGETABLES AND/OR FROZEN VEGETABLES <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">3</div>			MONTANA RETAILER STAMP		DATE USED
			10		LAST DAY TO USE
					8/10/2015
					INITIALS
			REJECTED BY BANK IF NOT CLEARLY STAMPED		AMOUNT OF SALE
RETAILER - DO NOT ACCEPT UNLESS YOU HAVE A MONTANA WIC CONTRACT AVAILABLE THROUGH FSMC AN AFFILIATE OF SECURITY STATE BANK, HOWARD LAKE, MINNESOTA 55349			SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT OR AUTHORIZED PROXY		



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At 800-433-4298 option 2

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MONTANA DEPT. OF PUBLIC HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES Farm Direct – WIC FMNP • Cogswell Building, Helena MT 59620			Account #806119 75-1248/919
FIRST DATE OF USE 6/15/14	LAST DATE OF USE 9/30/14	FARMER MUST DEPOSIT BY 10/31/14	484083
2014 NOT REDEEMABLE IN GROCERY STORES Up to Five Dollars and no/100 <small>NO CHANGE GIVEN</small> <small>Good for the purchase of fresh, locally grown fruits and vegetables from an authorized Farm Direct Farmer. Any other use constitutes fraud.</small>			STAMP AUTHORIZED FARMER NUMBER HERE <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; margin: 5px;"></div>
<div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: top; margin-left: 10px;"> <small>Citizens Alliance Bank Howard Lake Branch Clara City, MN 56222</small> </div>			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"> AMOUNT OF SALE <div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; height: 20px; margin: 5px;"></div> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> INITIALS <div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; height: 20px; margin: 5px;"></div> </div>
<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 30px; margin: 5px;"></div>			SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT OR AUTHORIZED PROXY <div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; height: 30px; margin: 5px;"></div>

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